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## **PATENT**

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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AUTOMATED 2-DIMENSIONAL ANALYSIS OF BIOLOGICAL AND OTHER

**SAMPLES** 

## **PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Mail Stop Extension of Time Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated July 2, 2003, now due to expire October 2, 2003, be extended for one month and set to expire on November 2, 2003.

Please charge the extension fee of \$110.00 to Deposit Account No. 500417. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500417.

Respectfully submitted,

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